

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
WESTERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**-vs-**

**Case No.: 09-00320-01-CR-W-HFS**

**CHRISTOPHER (CHRIS) SIMS,**

**Defendant.**

**USM Number: 21857-045**

P. J. O'Connor, Retained  
4740 Grand Ave., Suite 300  
Kansas City, MO 64112

**JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE**

The defendant pleaded guilty to Count 1 of the Information on 9/16/2010. Accordingly, the court has adjudicated that the defendant is guilty of the following offense(s):

<u>Title &amp; Section</u>	<u>Nature of Offense</u>	<u>Date Offense Concluded</u>	<u>Count Number(s)</u>
18 U.S.C. 111(a)(1)	Simple Assault of a Federal Employee While Engaged in the Performance of their Official Duties	September 24, 2009	1

The defendant is sentenced as provided in the following pages of this judgment. The sentence is imposed pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984.

**IT IS ORDERED** that the defendant shall notify the United States attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of name, residence, or mailing address until all fines, restitution, costs and special assessments imposed by this judgment are fully paid. If ordered to pay restitution, the defendant shall notify the court and United States attorney of any material change in the defendant's economic circumstances.

Date of Imposition of Sentence: January 13, 2011

/s/Howard F. Sachs  
HOWARD F. SACHS  
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

January 19, 2011

## PROBATION

The defendant is hereby placed on probation for a term of **3 years**.

While on probation, the defendant shall not commit another federal, state or local crime.

The defendant shall not unlawfully possess a controlled substance. The defendant shall refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. The defendant shall submit to one drug test within 15 days of placement on probation and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, as determined by the court.

The above drug testing condition is suspended, based on the court's determination that the defendant poses a low risk of future substance abuse.

The defendant shall not possess a firearm, destructive device, or any other dangerous weapon.

The defendant shall cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer.

If this judgment imposes a fine or restitution, it is a condition of supervision that the defendant pay in accordance with the Schedule of Payments sheet of this judgment.

The defendant must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court as well as with any additional conditions on the attached page.

## STANDARD CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

1. The defendant shall not leave the judicial district without the permission of the court or probation officer;
2. The defendant shall report to the probation officer and shall submit a truthful and complete written report within the first five days of each month;
3. The defendant shall answer truthfully all inquiries by the probation officer and follow the instructions of the probation officer;
4. The defendant shall support his or her dependents and meet other family responsibilities;
5. The defendant shall work regularly at a lawful occupation, unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, training, or other acceptable reasons;
6. The defendant shall notify the probation officer **at least ten (10) days prior** to any change in residence or employment;
7. The defendant shall refrain from excessive use of alcohol and shall not purchase, possess, use, distribute, or administer any controlled substance or any paraphernalia related to any controlled substances, except as prescribed by a physician;
8. The defendant shall not frequent places where controlled substances are illegally sold, used, distributed, or administered;
9. The defendant shall not associate with any persons engaged in criminal activity and shall not associate with any person convicted of a felony, unless granted permission to do so by the probation officer;
10. The defendant shall permit a probation officer to visit him or her at any time at home or elsewhere and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view by the probation officer;
11. The defendant shall notify the probation officer within **seventy-two (72) hours** of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer;

12. The defendant shall not enter into any agreement to act as an informer or a special agent of a law enforcement agency without the permission of the court;
13. As directed by the probation officer, the defendant shall notify third parties of risks that may be occasioned by the defendant's criminal record or personal history or characteristics, and shall permit the probation officer to make such notifications and to confirm the defendant's compliance with such notification requirement.

### **SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF PROBATION**

The defendant shall also comply with the following special conditions of probation:

1. The defendant shall successfully participate in a substance abuse testing program, which may include urinalysis, sweat patch, or Breathalyzer testing, as approved by the Probation Office, and pay any associated costs as directed by the Probation Office.
2. The defendant will reside in and satisfactorily participate in a Residential Re-entry Center program, until discharged by the center director after consultation with the Probation Office, for a period not to exceed 90 days (3 months).

Following his completion of the Residential Re-entry Center, the defendant shall be monitored by the form of location monitoring indicated below for a period of up to 90 days (3 months) and shall abide by all technology requirements:

#### **Radio Frequency (RF) Monitoring**

This form of location monitoring shall be utilized to monitor the following restriction on the defendant/offender's movement in the community as well as other court-imposed conditions of release:

You are restricted to your residence at all times except for employment; education; religious services; medical, substance abuse, or mental health treatment; attorney visits; court appearances; court-ordered obligations; or other activities as pre-approved by the officer.

The participant shall pay all or part of the costs of participation in the location monitoring program as directed by the probation officer.

3. The defendant shall submit his person, residence, office or vehicle to a search, conducted by a U.S. Probation Officer at a reasonable time and in a reasonable manner, based upon reasonable suspicion of contraband or evidence of a violation of a condition of release; failure to submit to a search may be grounds for revocation; the defendant shall warn any other residents that the premises may be subject to searches pursuant to this condition.
4. Defendant shall comply with the Western District of Missouri **Offender Employment Guideline** which may include participation in training, counseling, and/or daily job searching, as directed by the probation officer. If not in compliance with the condition of supervision requiring full-time employment at a lawful occupation, the defendant may be required to perform up to 20 hours of community service per week until employed, as approved or directed by the probation officer.

### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CONDITIONS**

I have read or have had read to me the conditions of supervision set forth in this judgment and I fully understand them. I have been provided a copy of them.

I understand that upon finding of a violation of probation or supervised release, the Court may (1) revoke supervision, (2) extend the term of supervision, and/or (3) modify the conditions of supervision.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Defendant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
United States Probation Officer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## CRIMINAL MONETARY PENALTIES

The defendant must pay the total criminal monetary penalties under the schedule of payments set forth in the Schedule of Payments.

**Total Assessment**

**\$25.00**

**Total Fine**

**WAIVED**

**Total Restitution**

**\$437.28**

The mandatory special assessment is due immediately.

Since the Court finds the defendant does not have the ability to pay a fine, the fine is waived.

The defendant shall make restitution (including community restitution) to the following payees in the amount listed below.

If the defendant makes a partial payment, each payee shall receive an approximately proportioned payment, unless specified otherwise in the priority order or percentage payment column below. However, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3664(I), all non-federal victims must be paid in full prior to the United States receiving payment.

You are hereby ordered to begin payment immediately and continue to make payments to the best of your ability until this obligation is satisfied. You shall adhere to a payment schedule as determined by the Probation Office.

<b><u>Name of Payee</u></b>	<b><u>Total Loss</u></b>	<b><u>Restitution Ordered</u></b>	<b><u>Priority or Percentage</u></b>
Denise L. Mercer U.S. Postal Inspection Service 6201 College Blvd., Ste. 400 Overland Park, KS 66211-2435	\$437.28	\$437.28	First

The defendant shall make a yearly payment of \$150.00 until paid in full.

Note: Findings for the total amount of losses are required under Chapters 109A, 110, 110A, and 113A of Title 18, United States Code, for offenses committed on or after September 13, 1994 but before April 23, 1996.